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A PERSONAL NOTE: Page 9 of Collectors List now available for a SASE (#86-95).  
Entire list is \$3.00.

CONVENTION '85: There are tentative plans for several original cast members and others associated with the LONE RANGER & GREEN HORNET, to attend and perform. They include Lee Alan, Lee Allman, Elaine Alpert, Tony Caminita, Fred Flowerday, Fred Foy, Bill Hengstebeck, Paul Hughes, Harry Goldstein, Fran Striker, Jr., Whit Vernon, Rube & Liz Weiss, Ernie Winstanley. Dick Osgood is coordinating this effort.

Dates: Oct. 11 & 12, 1985; Holiday Inn-North, Newark, N.J.

Cost will be \$24 for Friday - all day & evening with a buffet dinner. Daytime only is \$7...Cost for Saturday all day and evening including a buffet dinner is \$33 (\$31 for persons over age 65 and under age 16). Daytime only is \$8 (\$6 for over 65 and under 16). All registration monies should be mailed and made payable to me. Dealers tables will be \$25 with a limit of 3 tables per dealer -- 44 tables are available. Rooms are \$53/58. Let me know room details when you register. I will register you. Pay for room upon arrival.

A group of 10 may reserve dinner tables for Saturday again. The placement of these tables will be better considered. Try to have 1 or 2 special guests at your table so they can mix during dinner. If you have your list before the Convention, mail it to me.

Other details in last issue, including ad specs. Ad must be sent to me by July 1st.

IN FOND MEMORY: PAUL SMITH, Jan. 25, 78; Academy Award composer who worked for Walt Disney...EDWARD BUZZELL, Jan 11, 89; film director...GEORGE ANDERSON, Jan 13, 76; radio writer (Nick Carter, Gene Autry)...ROLLIN SMITH, Jan 19, 85; singer, introduced "I Can't Give You Anything But Love" & "Old Man River"...KENNY CLARKE, Jan 27, 71; drummer, jazz pioneer...KENNETH O'BRIEN, Jan 19, 49; film & TV actor...OSKAR WERNER, Oct 23, 61; Viennese stage & screen star...DON RAY, Jan 29, 73; composer/lyricist ("I'll Remember April," "Star Eyes")...TARA PRESTON, Feb 4, 34; TV actress...KEN MAYER, Jan 30, 66; TV & movie actor...VINCENT TROMBETTA, Jan 29, 74; musician...DENNIS PARKER, Jan 28, 38; TV actor...JOHN DRAKE, Jan 30, 69; big-band singer/saxophonist...MATT MONROE, Feb 7, 54; well-known singer...MARVIN MILLER, Feb 8, 71; well-known radio & TV actor (Whistler, Mr. First Nighter, many others); JOHN WEXLEY, Feb 11, 77; screenwriter...HARRY TRUITT, Jan 14, 74; big-band pianist...TOMMY JARRELL, Jan 28, 83; old-time fiddler...BARBARA COWSILL, Jan 31, 56; leader of the Cowsills...JOYCE VERDON, Jan 26, 57; stage & TV actress...LOUIS HAMWARD, Feb 21, 75; well-known actor...CLARENCE ("Ducky") NASH, Feb 20, 80; voice of Donald Duck. Also was voice of duck on Burns & Allen. From Nash's radio duck imitation, Walt Disney created Donald Duck on June 9, 1934 with Nash's voice...HENRY HATHAWAY, Feb 11, 86; veteran director...LEONARD SPIGELGASS, Feb 15, 76; screenwriter playwright...NANCY HAMILTON, Feb 18, 76; lyricist ("How High the Moon")...HEINZ ROEMHELD, Feb 11, 83; composer, arranger or conductor on over 400 films...JESSE HIBBS, Feb 4, 79; film & TV director...ROSELYN DUANE (Roz Patton), Feb 4, 62; singer (Elliot Lawrence Orch.)...EFREM ZIMBALIST, SR., Feb 22, 95; concert violinist...ALEXANDER SCOURBY, Feb 23, 71; well-known actor, especially in radio & narrations (Against the Storm, Eternal Light)...INA CLAIRE, Feb 21, 95; legit actress...LARRY WARD, Feb 16, 59; actor & writer...DONALD RICKLES, Feb 19, 57; staff

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announcer with NBC...TOM GREENWAY, Feb 8, 75; stage & screen actor...CHARLES BRIGGS, Feb 6, 53; actor...ART PAUL, JR., Feb 16, 84; sound engineer...CHARITA BAURER, Feb 28, 62; well-known radio & TV actress (Guiding Light)...J. PAT O'MALLEY, Feb 27, 80; veteran char. actor...RUDD WEATHERWAX, Feb 25, 77; owner & trainer of "Lassies"...EDWARD ANDREWS, Mar 9, 70; veteran actor...WILLIAM HILLPUT, Feb 25, 79; singer...DAVID HOFFMAN, Feb 27, 30; actor...IRWIN BLACKER, Feb 23, 65; book & TV writer...EUGENE ORMANDY, Mar 12, 85; well-known conductor...ROBERT SOUR, Mar 6, 79; Lyricist (Body & Soul)...ZOOT SIMS, Mar 23, 59; tenor saxophonist...ROGER SESSIONS, Mar 16, 88; well-known classical composer...ANNETTE HANSHAW, Mar 4, 74; singer...GENE MASONER, Mar 15, 41; actor, singer, dancer...GEORGIA FIFIELD, Mar 6, 84; radio actress...NICHOLAS COLASANTO, Feb 12, 61; actor (Cheers)...GEORGE LONDON, Mar 24, 64; well-known bass baritone

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED: NARA NEWS, winter; articles on Gale Gordon, women radio pioneers, OTR writers... Illustrated Press, Feb, 10th birthday issue; much reminiscing...SPERDVAC Radiogram, March; Tribute to Marvin Miller...OTR Digest Jan-Feb, Lum & Abner issue...Mar-Apr, article on radio Westerns by Gary Yoggy...NOSTALGIA DIGEST, Apr-May, article on Edgar Bergen & Charlie McCarthy.

LOGS: Ray Stanich, 173 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201, has revised Nelson Eddy log with all songs for Electric Hour - Old Gold Show, as well as 2 articles; Cost: \$2 third class; \$3 first class - mounted in plastic

MAILING: Just a reminder. The second ounce is 17¢, but to Canada & Mexico it is 18¢.

NEW ADDRESSES: Randy Wiggins, 611 North Brown St., Benton, Ill. 62812... Peter Ward Comford, 4101 Cathedral Ave., N.W., #516, Wash., D.C. 20016, wants Bickersons, Gunsmoke, YTJD, Benny, Lux...Jim Huska, 5340 Holmes Run Parkway, #806, Alexandria, Va. 22304...Misty Dawn Lane, 8540 S. 123rd Pl., Seattle, Wash, 98178...Bob Burchette, 10280 Gunpowder Rd., Florence, Ky 41042.

HERE & THERE: New Friends & Returnees: John Gaughran, 273 Bennett Ave., N.Y.C. 10040...Stefi Kroff, 2475 Bellmore Ave., Bellmore, N.Y. 11710, wants all Joan Davis material, movies, TV & radio...Rick Erickson, c/o Meta-Com, 1401-B West River Road, North Minneapolis, Minn. 55411. Rick is part of Meta-Com, Inc. (Radio reruns & adv. in cassettes)...Barry Fishlow, 93 Beechwood Ave., Edison, N.J. 08837...Steve Scott, 812 Brice Rd., Rockville, Md. 20852...Steve Troyanovich, Florence Tollgate, 3801, Florence, N.J. 08518, wants all material on Charlie Chan including Fan clubs, pub, etc....Howie Nielson, 3140 Purer Rd., Escondido, Ca. 92025, wants tapes or records of Uncle Ezra radio shows...Tony Pettolina, 39 Nostrand Drive, Toms River, N.J. 08757...Johnny Dawkins, 1161 Tremaine Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90019, wants Foreign Assignment, Private Showing, Cousin Willie, House of Mystery, and several other shows...Rob Thomas, 124 Ridgewood Rd., Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022...Ron Waterfall, Jr., 213 West County Line Rd., Hatboro, Pa. 19040...Kelly Berger, 23034 South Delford Ave., Carson, Calif. 90745...Jim Harvey, Box 1567, Largo, Fla. 34294, wants Horatio Hornblower...Melvin Cohen, 9 Orange Dr., Jericho, N.Y. 11753...Ray Nemec, 1424 Heatherton Dr., Naperville, Ill. 60540. Ray is a baseball researcher & statistician. He is very knowledgeable on country western OTR, especially midwestern. He also is interested in locks and old radio and movie-radio guides...Marty Lewin, 8836 North Lincolnwood Drive, Evanston, Ill. 60203.

HERE & THERE: Old Friends: Don Aston, with a partner just opened "A&Z Video & Computer Software Sales & Rentals" 1882-1/2 Pacific Coast Hwy, Redondo Beach, Cal. 90277...Chuck Juzek, 57 Hutton Ave., Nanuet, N.Y. 10954, wants copy of Tune in Yesterday, by John Dunning...Timothy Crawford, c/o Aramco, Box 5357, Ras Ranura, 31311, Saudi Arabia, wants Suspense, Whistler, Lux "Lost Horizon"



Ed Carr, 216 Shaner St., Boyertown, Pa. 19512, has for sale 1-Bogen turntable refurbished to play 16 in. transcriptions, 4 speeds 16-33-45-78 - brand new cartridge but no needle - \$85.00 + post. & insurance - plays lateral or vertical ...Richard Palanik, 165 Summit St., Plantsville, Ct. 06479, wants books by or about Arch Oboler...Lawrence Rao, 1213 East 88th St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11236, is selling any 1200' or 1800' reels from his collection for only \$7 plus postage. There is a 10-reel minimum. C-60 cassettes are reduced to only \$5 each (maximum 12 cassettes) plus postage. His 130+ page illustrated OTR catalog is \$4.25 postpaid...Charles Ingersoll, 315 First Avenue, S.E., Aitkin, Minnesota, 56431, will have his book "Minnesota Airwaves" ready for distribution by mid-summer. It is well written and very informative and at times very humorous. It is a must for Minnesota radioists. For complete information write Charlie at the above address. The radio history in Minnesota goes back to 1912.

RADIO IS ALIVE & WELL: The Lone Ranger's mask can once again be worn by Clayton Moore after a 5-year legal dispute...WTIC in Hartford, Ct. celebrated its 60th year on Feb. 10th. Almost the entire time it was an NBC affiliate... Broadcasting Magazine, Feb 25, mentions radio drama gaining larger share of evening schedules of several major markets, AM stations, according to Charles Michelson, who syndicates OTR to 40 stations. Also, a new L.A. area AM station will serve as flagship for proposed satellite-delivered radio drama network. It could start in May and will include cooking series and remakes of such soap operas as Backstage Wife, The Goldbergs, Vic & Sade...Rambling with Gambling celebrated its 60th year on WOR-AM in NewYork on March 8th...Lone Ranger and Green Hornet are celebrating 50th anniversaries and WXYT-AM (Detroit) - formerly WXYZ--had celebration on March 31st. This was carried by many stations according to Charles Michelson.

GENERAL INFORMATION: (Reminder) "Hello Again" is usually mailed around the 1st of February, April, June, August, October and December. Flyers 8-1/2 X 11 can be inserted. Cost is \$17 for 300, #20 wt. or less. I would have to see copy of it first. 300 copies needed...Friends of OTR pins are available. Lapel pin is \$4.25 (diameter 5/8 in.) -- larger version is \$5.25 (1-1/4 inch diameter). All monies go toward our conventions.

LATE NEWS: IN FOND MEMORY: SIR MICHAEL REDGRAVE, Mar 21, 77; well-known British actor...SIG HERZIG, Mar 12, 87; veteran screenwriter, TV writer... VINCENT PERRY, Feb 22, 87; actor...JACK MILLER, Mar 18, 89; musical director for Kate Smith.

Write if you get work, and hang by your thumbs!

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